

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
POWER  
LOK SABHA**

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PENDING POWER PROJECTS IN CHHATTISGARH  
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**Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the proposal to set up certain thermal and hydel power projects in Chhattisgarh are pending with the Union Government;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor;
- (c) the level at which this proposal is pending; and
- (d) the time by which these proposals are likely to be cleared by the Government?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER ( SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA )

(a) to (d) : There is no H.E. schemes from State of Chhattisgarh whose DPR is pending for Techno-Economic Clearance in Central Electricity Authority (CEA). However, four schemes, namely Bhopalapattanam (8x125 MW), Kutru-I (3x50 MW), Kutru-II (3x50 MW) and Matnar (3x20 MW) respectively were returned to Project authorities for resubmission for TEC after complying with the comments of CEA/Central Water Commission.

DPR for installation of 2x250 MW Thermal Power Project has been received in January, 2003 from Chhattisgarh State Electricity Board (CSEB) for installation of the project at the de-commissioned site of 100 MW Korba (East) TPS. CSEB has been informed on 27.01.2003 by the CEA that certain essential inputs/clearances viz. water allocation (State & Centre), SPCB clearance, MOE&F clearance, land availability for ash disposal, tentative financial package, compliance of Section 29(2) & (3) of Electricity (Supply) Act, 1948 are pending and need to be tied up for further examination of DPR.